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22 July 1957

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE RECORD

SUBJECT : Conference Report, [REDACTED]

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1. Time and Place of Meeting: The meeting was held at [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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2. Attendance:
[REDACTED]

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3. Purpose:

To monitor progress on the following projects:

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c) AM-33 Collapsible Lens Barrel

Topics also discussed include, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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4. Discussion:
[REDACTED]

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B. AH-38 Collapsible Lens Barrel

The contract has been initiated. [REDACTED] is project engineer. The general concept was discussed. No active effort has started on its design apart from the ordering of the four 40 inch f/6.3 Astro lenses.

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No provision for checking or determining the quality of the lenses purchased has been arranged. The lens supplier, a distributor, has no lens test facility. No certification for individual lens could be obtained without working directly with the manufacturer in Germany.

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[REDACTED] can only visually check them at a rather short range.

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It is possible that the lenses can be checked at [REDACTED]
requested an Emaakta and an Alpa camera for use in camera adaptor
design and testing.

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5. Conclusions:

1. Progress is satisfactory on each of the contracts.
2. [REDACTED] film titling unit possesses features
that should be known to us.

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TSS/APD/CB

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Distribution:

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[REDACTED] AH-38-1; [REDACTED] Chrono-1
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